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HONGKONG... SUMMARY JURISDICTION. FOREIGN ATTACHMENT

Suit No. 100 of 1889. LAINTIFFS-ERNST CARL LUDWIG REUTER, FRIEDRICH ALEXAN DER BUESING BROECKELMANN and JUSTOS FRIEDRICH HEIN-RICH HEYN, EF. HDANTS-J. T., LAUTS, F. H.

HAESLOOP and SHIU NAP. NOTICE is hereby given that a Writ of Foreign Attachment returnable on the 1st day of February, 1889, ag inst all the Proparty moveable or immoveable of the above named Defendants within the Colony, has been issued in this Suit pursuant to the Provisions of Section LXXXII. of "The Hongkong Code AFTERWOON, in accordance with the provisions

of Civil Procedure." Dated the 15th day of January, 1889. WOTTON & DEACON. Solicitors for the Plaintiffs, / 35, Queen's Road.

Hongkong. ZETLAND LODGE.

N EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODG Ew. Il be held in the FRE -MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVEN- at the Cury HALL, on FRIDAY, the 15th ING, the 18th inst., at 8:30 for \$ " 4. precisely. February. Brethren wishing to Subscribe,

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1877. JOHN ANDREW, Secretary. Hongkong 18th January, 1889.



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reading before the printing of the Bill,

as the taking of it before the Bill is pre-

pared and before the offiner moving the

first-reading is prepared to state-the objects

and reasons of the Bill. In the House

of Commons, permission has to be ob-

tained before a Bill can be brought in, and

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ing to Dr. CANTLIE the Angle-Saxon race

leaves that home-to- settle elsewhere

deterioration sets in which is more or less

marked in proportion to the variation of the

Saxon race must soon be reached. It is well

of the fact that the Chinese are physical-

ly more adapted to the country than them-

solves that is at the bottom of the hos-

tility displayed towards the yellow race

by the Australians. In his inaugural ad-

dress at the Hongkong College of Medicine

Dr. Manson spoke of the Chinese race-

geneous, physically adaptable, clever people"

stretching from Siberia to Australia. The

Australians have determined that the Chi-

tory, but whether they will be able to keep

them out remains to be seen. To us it has

always seemed that the best policy of the

Australians would be to admit the Chinese

freely as labourers, for the country stands in

want of labour for its development, and to

trust to the superiority of British institu-

tions to preserve the control of the political

destinies of the continent to the white popu-

Ar the meeting of the Legislative Council

yesterday His Excellency the Governor said

it was commonly supposed that to read a

Bill a first time before it was printed was

an irregular proceeding, but "as known-to

those who are acquainted with the proceed-

ings of the House of Commons, it has been

sanctioned by long usage." His Excellency

went on to say that the practice was not an

inconvenient one, his argument being, as far

as we could follow it, that more attention

would be given by the public to an unprint-

has found its home in England, and when it of the plaintiff's petition.

print with Bills a statement of their objects and presumably as being somewhat troublesome to himself. The authority on the question of HONGRONG, JANUARY 18TH, 1889. printing Bills is to be found, however, not in the rules or practice of the House of Commons, An article by Mr. GLADSTONE in the Youth's Companion a month or two ago, on the ents, are not binding-but in the standing future of the English speaking races, atorders of the Legislative Council, wherein it tracted considerable attention at the time of its appearance, and was noticed in the Press Bill shall if possible be sent to each throughout the world. Our readers are probably already familiar with the general scope before it is read a first time." The general of the article. Mr. GLADSTONE prophesies impression that to read a Bill before it is that within a century the English speaking rinted is irregular is therefore perfectly ing to-day. races will practically have the control of the well founded. There is las objection, howinhabited globe. So great has been the proever, to that than to the deferring of to ductiveness of these races that it is estimstatement of objects and reasons un! ated that the present number of English the moment of the second reading of speakers is 105,000,000; which is an advance the Bill. That there is no intention of burkof 85,000,000 on what it was a century ago, ing discussion goes without saying, but the and which is said to authorise the expectaeffect is the same. It is the duty of the tion that the number will reach 700,000,000 in 1988, or nearly twice the present population he can, or a sufficiently good case, for any of China, Other writers think that the Bill he proposes, and it is this that the un-English speakers will reach a thousand millions. It would be interesting to have a the measure, have to meet. If the statement criticism by Mr. GLADSTONE of the lecture is delayed to the second reading their posidelivered the other evening by Dr. CANTLIE to the Hongkong Literary Society. Accord-

The Criminal Sessions will be formally opened this morning and adjourned until Monday at | in such proclamation. climate from that of Great Britain. If it be ten c'clock.

torgey-General would be if he had to go into

the case, as stated, that in Canada only one child out of three reaches the age of two Prevost, the football match between the 91st years it is evident that that great dependency Regiment and the Club did not take place yes. account that it is proposed to the Council. terday afternoon. can contribute but little to the predicted

rapid growth in the numbers of English According to the Courrier d'Haiphong speaking people. In the United States the Jean Dupuis has succeeded in raising sufficient capital in Paris to work the coal mines on his race becomes dyspeptic, and thinking Ameri- Rebao concession.

cans are said to be seriously alarmed as to its future. In Australia the people become weedy, and the third generation, is said to daring burglary by armed men in Circular tive inhabitants. be looked upon by Australians born of Eng. Pathway will be found in our Police report.

lish parents as of a totally distinct and The great barmaid case, which has been pendinferior type to themselves. If climate ing for over twelve months and has been looked exerts the potent influence, claimed for it hy forward to with much interest in certain quar-Dr. CANTLIE it would seem that the geogra- terday. ters, was commenced in the Supreme Court yes-

phical limits to the expansion of the Angle-As will be seen by the report of the proceedings at yesterday's meeting of the Legislative known that English people settled in India Council, the Praya Reclamation Scheme has cannot perpetuate their stock beyond the been approved by the Secretary of State, but

third generation. It has been predicted the terms have not yet transpired. that it will be found much the same in We hear that when the Hailoung was at Amoy Northern Australia. Queensland was only it was reported that a sailing vessel was ashore to make the field of choice somewhat larger presented it strongly to the Committee that the during the six months or so while the new thrown open to colonisation in 1842, so that | Tamsui. It is believed the vessel is the British there has not been much time for direct ob- ship Anglo-Indian, which was on a voyage from servation, but there is reason to believe Shasghai to the Philippines.

that at all events the more northern A telegram to the Pioneer says :-- It has been the colony as well as the Northern Territory of the colony of South removed within the next two or three months, residents in the Colony under sixteen years of but he did not think it was quite correct that a have been working in this way for four months Australia will be found unsuitable for per. the English silversmiths having received in age who have shown an apriling of the English silversmiths having received in age who have distinguish counts. (Applause). He hoped and trusted that clearing the whole of the current working exthe English silversmiths having received in age who have shown an aptitude for acquiring man who acted as treasurer should audit the ac- up to the end of December, and we have been manent European Settlement. If this be so, their trade accordingly. It is understood that ed themselves in the higher examinations of the meeting would agree with him in his view of penses, including the cost of management, and this valuable tract of country will have to be immediately Parliament meets next session the any of the public schools of the Co'ony, especial- the matter that a member outside the Committee have made a small sum each month as profit. W Report of the Currency Commission will come ly as regards the English language." That should be appointed as auditor. treated like our other sub-tropical possesup in the form of an amendment to be moved by will make a larger field and draw special atten- Mr. Legge said he had been secretary to the tempt, so for as the directors intentions are consions, that is, exploited by British enterprise Mr. Chaplin to an address to the Queen. and capital with the assistance, of Asiatic

labour. The Australians, however, object to the Asiatic labourer in general and to the Chinese labourer in particular, and have determined to make a strong stand for the in order to completely subjugate them. We able amendment, that they should make it now. I auditor. preservation of the British type of race throughout the continent. If the climate unavailing. It is perhaps a dim perception

> LATEST TELEGRAMS. HAVAS TELEGRAMS.

PARIS, 7th January. FRENCH ELECTIONS. . The Conservative Candidate has been elected "in point of sagacity, as well as size, for the Somme department and the Bonapartist the elephant among the nations, . . . the for Charente Inferior. most industrious, thrifty, persevering, home-

THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES. M. Méline has been re-elected President of the Chamber of Deputies.

nese shall possess no portion of their terri- HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL A meeting of the Legislative Council was held yesterday afternoon. There were present :-

WILLIAM DES VŒUX, K.C.M.G.

Hon. E. L. O'MALLET, Attorney-General. Hon. H. E. WODEHOUSE, C.M.G., Colonial Treasurer. Hon. J. M. PRICE, Surveyor-General. Hon. W. M. DEANE, Captain Superintendent

Hon, F. STEWART, LL.D. Colonial Secretary.

of Police. . Hon. J. STEWART-LOCKHART, Registral-Ge-Hon, P. RYRIE. Hon. Wong Shing.

Hon. J. BELL-IRVING. Hon. B. LAYTON Mr. SETH, Clerklof Councils. MINUTES.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. NEW MEMBER.

Hon. J. H. Stewart-Lookhart, Registrar-General, took the usual oath on his appointment as an official member of the Council.

THE PRAYA RECLAMATION SCHEME. His Excellency—I may say that the work for the Council to-day was scarcely sufficient to ed than to a printed Bill. This novel theory warrant the meeting, and under ordinary circumwe will not attempt to combat, but may re- stances it would have been advisable to pestpone

the meeting to next week. It was necessary. however, to comply with the instructions from times thought the best way of attracting the the Secretary of State by telegram. Lord attention of the public and securing full dis-Knutsford desires me to inform the Council that enssion was to publish a notification in the the Consulting Engineer has approved of the plans and estimates of the great scheme of re-Gasette to the effect that "the following Bill elamation which was initiated by Mr. Chater will be proposed in the Legislative Council" presume from that that the scheme has been approved, but I do not know on what terms. on such and such a date, and setting out the am instructed to delay action until receipt of Bill at length. As to the question of proa despatch which is on the way, and which will cedure, the irregularity complained of has no doubt give the requisite information. been not so much the taking of the first

THE OPENING OF THE KENNEDY BOAD

His EXCELLENCY-I do not know whether mentioned in Council that the strong representthe subject of the very large tract of land in the immediate neighbourhood of the town of Victoria which has been so long closed to public usomean the whole of the land above Kennedy Road -have I am glad to say, at last met with success. the member seeking such permission explains ing purposes. and it is now open to the Colony to sell for build-

the objects of the Bill and gives the reasons THE BUILDING ORDINANCE. for its introduction. If the motion for leave His Excellency-With regard to the first is agreed to, the Bill is ordered to be prepared order of the day (the first reading of the Buildand brought in by the mover and seconder, and ing Ordinance). I regret that the Bill on this very important subject is not as yet quite ready before the first reading can take place it has It has taken much longer time to discuss then to be actually deposited on the table. had been anticipated, and consequently it is not as vet printed in the form in which it will be laid on the table. I propose, nevertheless, to take dered to be printed. His Excellency is therethe first reading to-day. It is commonly sup fore correct in his description of parliamenposed here that that is an irregular proceeding. but as is known to those who are acquainted with the proceedings of the House of Commons, it has tice in the House of Commons to read Bills | been sanctioned by long usage there. And it is which have not been prepared, nor to read not altogether an inconvenient practice, because them without some explanation of their the earliest possible moment to give the public when a Bill is not ready it is often desirable at purpose. It is also the practice in the House notice that a Bill on the subject is being preof Commons, when a Bill is printed, to prefix pared. This renders it more likely that public attention will be given to it when it is publish-119 to it an analysis of the various clauses, as it ed. I need scarcely say in regard to a Bill was formerly the custom in this colony to of such immense importance, with regard to reasons, a very useful oustom which has been i to the second reading until there has been discontinued by the present Attorney-General, a very considerable time for deliberation and consideration, certainly not less than three! weeks; unless I see it is meeting with such general approbation as to render so long a period take place this morning starting from Welunnecessary, and oven then I do not know that lington Barracks at ten o'clock. t would be necessary to go on sooner. If, on the other hand, there is any very strong feeling on -which, however usefulas supplying preced- the part of the public which leads me to think that further consideration would be better, I will be willing to listen to any reasons that are urged for further delay. So far as I can see at s provided that "A printed copy of every present I do not think there is likely to be any strong opposition. Of course to a measure that embraces a very large field there will always be member by the Clerk at least two clear days opposition on the part of some; but on the whole I trust and hope that it will recommend itself

> The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I propose the first reading of this Bill. It is a Bill to repeal Ormake better provision therefor. The COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded, and the

Bill was read a first time. STONECUTTERS' ISLAND. inquiries of persons who are not properly authosou shall land upon the island except under permit on the Committee? either from the Colonial Secretary or the Officer in sommand of Hor Majesty's regular troops, tion is very similar to what that of the At- and provides that persons who do land without ed their own accounts. such permit may be agrested by the military Mr. WOOLLEY-This is not a public company persons offending against it. It likewise pro- which is necessary to keep the thing going. vides that the Governor may from time to time !

The COLONIAL SIMRETARY seconded. His Excellency-I may mention that this Owing to the lamented death of Major Bill has been deemed absolutely necessary by the Defence Committee at Home; and it is on that Secretary of the Association had to submit his Hon Wong Shing-Are there native inha- fore making-disbursement, bitants on the island

Hon. P. Ryrik-None, I think, except those unnecessarily taking up the time of the meetbut it is a question it would be well to give no- auditing the accounts? It was purely a formal tice of. I have not made sufficient enquiry, but affair; every member of the Association was satis-As the China New Year approaches robbers I think if before next meeting you make enqui. fied that the accounts had been proporly audited, are getting very bold. The particulars of a ries you will probably find that there are no na-

The Bill was then read a first time. BILLS PASSED.

A Bill to make a verbal amendment to the Cattle Diseases, Slaughter Houses, and Markets Ordinance, 1887, and the Reformatory Schools Ordinance Amendment Bill, were considered in committee, reported without amendment, and read a third time and passed.

THE INTERPRETATION SCHEME The Penang Gazette says: After several English scholars as well as good Chinese scholars. been audited by other members. (Applause). if they are approved, come into operation the they bore his name and not Mr. Anderson's. better, but I am quite willing to postpone their consideration for another meeting if any mem-

given much attention to it. you desire the matter postponed. I may say that accounts then they should not re-elect them. this matter has been very fully considered. There The Chairman said there was a right and a ernment and the public interest generally will out two good serviceable girls for the Bar and ing out that he had acted entirely without has been a vast amount of discussion and corres- wrong way of doing everything. pondence on it.

sanction of the authorities at home is obtained

any objection to passing, it, because before it comes into operation it is quite possible for any member who sees any desirable alteration either His EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR. SIR to write an official letter to the Governor or mention the matter in Council. All I want is as soon far as it affects the revenue.

be sure of a general approval. general motion approving of it.

olleagues will object. vernor in his message of 10th January and con- they could not be elected. However, it was at but to dissolve the meeting tained in the minutes of Council confirmed on all times open to them to add to the Committee, the 17th, be generally approved by the Council, and if any officers joined they could be elected Hon. P. RYRIE seconded the motion, which

vas carried: His EXCELLENCY-I trust it will tend to increase the knowledge of the Chinese language n the public service.

THE BUILDING ORDINANCE His Excellency—I hope that by this time pext week the new Building Ordinance will be quite finished. There are ninety-four clauses' and I need not tell you it requires a great deal of consideration even up to the last moment.

ADJOURNMENT.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MAJOR

PREVUST. We regret to have to record a very sad occur rence in connection with the sham fight which took place on Wednesday afternoom. Major was to be given he should rule accordingly, if answer, which are as follows:-Prevost, who, it will be remembered, was in not he should proceed with the revision. charge of the right attack and who had to occupy High West Hill, had reads the ascent for a woll. He fell out of his Company, giving them orders to advance without him. The incident with the revision at once. seems to have attracted very little notice, and the Company proceeded under the impression that stions I have made to the Secretary of State on | there was nothing more serious the matter with their officer than exhaustion ensuing on the diffi-

cult task of climbing the Hill. Even the Major himself appeared at first to have thought there was nothing particularly wong, except that he was "done up." After going a short distance further, however, he appears to have become seriously ill and the services of Dr. Barrows were requisitioned. The Major was placed on a stret cher, and after restoratives had been applied, which seemed to rally him a little, he was carried by four soldiers for some distance, with the intention of taking him down by the tram. Before, however, the station could be reached he was dead. The doctor then proceeded as quickly | months. (Laughter). as possible to the Peak Hotel from whence the ambulance from the Police Station was telephoned for, and the body was conveyed to the Barracks. Mrs. Prevost was one of a number of ladies who had been watching the attack from Motistain Lodge, and left when it was over for the town without having any knowledge of what had occurred. Out of consideration for her, under the rank of an Inspector. added to a natural reluctance of undertaking the painful task of breaking the sad news to which there is no very immediate reason her, the melancholy occurrence was kept quiet for hurry, I shall not think of proceeding for some time, and it was not until late in the evening that news of her husband's death was the revision now? conveyed to Mrs. Prevost. The cause of death is attributed to heart disease. The funeral will

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the members of the above As sociation was held at the Hengkong Hotel yes terday afternoon. Mr. T. Jackson presided, and there was a good attendance.

The CHAIRMAN in proposing the adoption the report and accounts alluded to the departure of the 58th Regiment of whom they numbered very strongly as being for the general advantso many amongst their members and spoke of I propose therefore to take the first readthe assistance given at all times by the officers of that Regiment to the Association. thanks were also due to the reval officers on the dicance 8 of 1856, relating to building, and to station. Before putting the adoption of the report and accounts to the meeting he should ! pleased to hear any remark any member might

Mr. Kennepy said that he noticed that the auditors of the accounts were three members The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I beg to move of the Committee. He thought the accounts he first reading of a Bill entitled the Stone- should be audited by some member not on the Com-Attorney-General to make out the best case cutters' Island Ordinance, 1889. The object of mittee. He was perfectly sure that there were the Bill is to protect the fortifications and works | many members in the Association who were peron Stonecutters' Island from the observations and factly competent to andit accounts of that nature. Mr. WOOLLEY-As one of the auditors may

official members, if they are opnosed to rised to take observations. It enacts that no per- I ask if any reflection is intended to be cast Mr. KENNEDY-Certainly not, but I never heard of any concern where the directors audit-

guard and handed over to the Police. It pro- I was for two years secretary of this Association court to defend a case without any knowledge vides also the penalty which may be imposed on myself, and I know the vast amount of work Air. Andrew said there were constantly sums by proclamation exempt from the operation of to be paid, and it was only possible for the tomthe Ordinance any partion of the island specified wittee to understand the accounts. If they appointed an auditor he would have to accept the vonchers given him and would be unable to know whether they were correct or not.

Mr. KENNEDY said be presumed that the proposals of expenditure to the Committee be-Mr. Formes thought that the question was

e ing. "He would ask one question-what did Mr. discuss the question further. (Applause). General Gordon said he would like to say a word while on this question. When he was Chair. man of Committee this question was raised and the Committee to audit the accounts. His first reason was because he thought that those who on the paper, but I do not know whether mem- was a very painful statement, but such combers have considered the proposals made at the plaint was made to the Committee. It was not

tion to what attention was not drawn to before, as Rowing Club and Treasurer to Victoria Lodge, corned at present; to compete on strictly Chinese to the desirability of the interpreters being good and in both institutious the accounts had always lines with Chinese beats. Whatever we may years of deplorable inactivity on the part of the a qualification which is of as much importance if Mr. Francis said that as the opinion of the is to run boats where there is European traf-Dutch with respect to Acheen, they appear to be not more importance. I do-not-know whether meeting was evidently in myour of what Mr. fic and where clean, well-fitted boats are suddenly animated to adopt measures of renewed members have any suggestions to make. I am Kennedy had said, he presumed that in future required. We propose to run three ferry lines. and determined hostilities against the Acheenese, quite willing, if they have thought of any desir- the Committee would appoint an outsider as an and to keep two or three boats for other pur-

blockade of the states of Pedir, Ayer Labo, that a motion might be made generally approve the Committee were well enough known to prove Endjoeng, and Pantei Radja, and in consequence ing of the proposals. Of course they will have that every thing would be done fairly and above fights against them their efforts will prove of this, a circular has been issued by the Dutch to be referred to the Secretary of State, as they board. (Applause.) With reference to what Consul to the effect that these states are now affect the revenue; and they cannot come into General Cordon had said about one of the audi force until they have received Her Majesty's tors acting as treasurer, he begged to say he the present and what they intend to do. We Both Mr. and Mrs. Roberts say that the Ho- for two girls as barmaids and shall immediately approval. Of course the sconer the proposals, was responsible for those accounts and that are negotiating just now with the Government tel is much better than they expected to find it, Mr. Robinson agreed with the last speaker. Hon. P. Ryrie-I did not know that the mat- those who took office they would find difficulty ter was going to come up to-day, and I have not in obtaining anyone to serve. If it was the this purpose and keeping them in a proper state opinion of the meeting that the members of of repair and inspection. If so, that will add Mr. Roberts has had time to go properly into by Mr. McCulloch on the 19th May. Immedi-His EXCELLENCY-I gather from that that the Committee were income stent to andit the something material to the income of the matters. Now Barmaids: Miss Kirby leaves for ately on receipt of this letter, Mr. McCulloch

tain that those who had audited the accounts come at once to the terms we demanded, and years, salary \$ 0 per month or less, show &c., no information and repudiating any liability in re-Hon. B. LAYTON-A proper interpretation were perfectly competent to do so, but he was of usgotisticos are still going on; but I have very drinks as customary. They would have a double- spect of such engagement. On the same day scheme is so very desirable that the sooner the opinion that it would be better that the Committee should nominate two other members to do obtaining a fair subsidy from the government require to be very strict as regurds conduct; cated with him on the same matter, and told him it in future, provided that two men were avail. in respect of eight or ten of our boats. As to medical attendance free. Day's work 7-8 hours that no positive order authorising him to His Excellency-Of course this will not able who had the necessary qualifications. If no have the force of law, and therefore I do not see one had any further remarks to make he would move the adoption of the report and accounts. Mr. WOODIN seconded.

Carried unanimously. elect a Committee which he thought had better the second call has also been paid on all except as possible to have the scheme as a whole sent to be done by ballot. There was no specified num- 242 shares, but this I have no doubt will be paid the Secretary of State for general approval as bers of members to form the Committee, but on in the course of a few days. If there is any furthe last occasion they had selected thirteen in. ther information we can give you or any ques-Hon. P. RYRIE-I think your Excellency may cluding the Chairman, and he thought they had tions you would like to ask, I, myself will be better follow that precedent. Some of the glad to answer, and I am sure any of the other letter was at the time of the writing of the said They are not required at present, and if the His Excellency—Then you don't object to members of the present Committee had left the directors will be glad to do so too. Colony, and as he himself was leaving shortly he . There being no questions, the CHAIRMAN

> afterwards. The balletting then took place with the result that the following gentlemen were elected:-Messrs. E. L. Woodin, J. Andrew. A. Woolley, H. J. Helmes, Major Dempster, Captain Collinson, A. S. Hooper, E. Robinson, Major Tripp,

J. W. Noble, General Gordon, A. K. Travers, and Colonel Storer. The CHAIRMAN-, We have now to consider the revision of the rules. Mr. CROSS-Is this in order. We have had

no time to consider this matter. It has been The Attorney-General (Hon E. L. O'Malley), sprung upon us. Should not notice be given us instructed by Mesers. Wotton and Deacon, was The Council adjourned until Thursday next. of the proposed alterations? for the plaintiffs, and Mr. Francis, Q.C., in- March, 1887, and of the letters sent by the said these girls. The Hotel Company said that the

rules about the revision. Mr. CROSS-Then I suggest that seven days'

Mr. FRANCIS suggested that the proposed alterations in the rules be put before the meeting, and they would then be in a position to little more than half way, when he became un- see whether it was necessary to postpone the the Companies Ordinances, 1865 to 18:6, and consideration or whether they might proceed

Mr. Hoopen said the first alteration consisted

imply in striking out the word "General" before "Committee" in Rule 3. Rule 4 was R. Loxley & Co. altered to road as follows: - "That the Committee appoint their own Chairman and Vice-Chairman and have power to add to their number, to fill to vacancies and appoint sub-committees with power to act, the treasurer and secretary to be members ex officio, three to form a quorum. The Chairman for the meeting to have a casting vote." The next alteration proposed was in Rule 12 with regard to the admission of lady nembers. This rule as revised would read . Ladies who are residents, in Hongkong and over 16 years of age are eligible for election in the same way as described in Ruls 6. Their subscription shall be one dollar per annum." The amerdment with regard to age had been suggested because it had been found that there were lady members under the ago of twelve

Mr. And Ew said he had to propose an addition to the rules. It was not proposed out of any disrespect to the Army or the Police, but the Association was growing to be very large, and as thought it only right to bring it forward. It April, 1887, stating that they would immediately petition contained. commissioned officer, and no police constable was required shipped by the end of the month.

The question having been put to the meeting | matter. was answered in the affirmative by a majority of

The alterations to Rules 3, 4, and 12 were carried unanimously. mention the new rule proposed did

Mr. Rosinson thought the new rule needed iscussion and that as it was now too late to go into it fully, it should be postponed. GENERAL GORDON was of the same opinion. The question of accepting this new rule was a ery important one. (Hear, hear). A great num-

ber of the 58th and a great many of the Police and been members and had helped substantially. He thought they should consider the question well before deciding on it. There was no doubt that the soldiers and police were trained to shoot and got much more practice than many of the other members, but on the other hand it appeared ! just a little harsh to bar them from becoming to the defendants both in London and Hong-Mr. FRANCIS proposed the postponement

the consideration of the question for a fortnight Mr. Wooden seconded, and the motion was

This concluded the business of the meeting. son, who was about to leave the colony, for the plaintiffs' Company and recovered \$3,960 assistance he had given them. He did not know [where they would have found a Chairman who could bring to bear on every question such amounting to \$667.25 and have paid \$36 for telestrong and good serse and so excellent a disoretion. (Applause.) They had seen that evening. if they had never seen it before, of what value such a Chairman was, and he asked them to give and sending out to Hongkong the said Jessie him a hearty vote of thanks for having acted so iong and effectively as their president. The vote of thanks was carried amidst great

applause, and the Chairman having returned thanks, the meeting dissolved.

THE HONGKONG STEAM LAUNOH

COMPANY, LIMITED. The first ordinary meeting of shareholders of the above Company was held vesterday afternoon in the Company's office, Pedder's street. There His Excellence-I do not think there are, Kennedy expect to gain by having an outsider were present :- Messrs. J. J. Francis, Q.C. D. McCulioch (Directors), Messrs. R. Lyall, Forbes, J. W. Noble, Perry, Capt. Hamlin, J. and it was only taking up time. in his opinion, to C. Da Rosa, C. A. Osorio, W. C. Murray, H

H. R. Burder, and C. H. E. Seimund. The CHAIRMAN said—This meeting is called in accordance with the requirements of a recent Ordinance which requires that the first meeting se advocated the appointing of a member not on should be held within a limited time after the Company has been formed. As a matter of course. there is no statement of accounts or anything | tition are true, were responsible for the expenditure should not else to put before the meeting, but the directors audit the accounts; and the second reason was that think it advisable to call the attention of the at the last spring meeting there were one or two shareholders to two facts. The first is that the Company for the purposes and upon the terms objections made by members who stated that they intention on the formation of the company was and conditions mentioned in the letter of the His Excellency—There is nothing further had not got prizes of the value announced. This to have waited before commencing business un- 25th May, 1886 referred to in paragraph 3 of the til the new steamers were built, but on consider said petition, and the defendants grave leave to ration your directors thought it would be advis- refer to and use the said letter. last meeting with regard to interpretation. I may necessary now to enter into details as to how able to occupy the field as quickly as possible, and say that I propose to alter one of them in order the matter was settled, but he felt then and re- at the same time feel their way to business as regards the selection of residents of the accounts should be andited by an outsider. The steamers were in the course of construction. Colony under sixteen years of ago to be student question was postponed and no decision was At an expense of some \$13,000 we invested in interpreters. I propose to alter this part as arrived at when he left the Committee. He was three fairly good stramers, They have been fitfollows :- "The Gevernor to appoint three stude urged to this view because a gentleman who had tell un, and two of them have been put to run as ent interpreters, each to be attached to such de- acted as treasurer for two or three months had ferry bowls, one to Kowloon and the other to Richard Loxley, has always resided in Hongkong partment of the public service as to the Gover- also acted as auditor. He was not casting the Hungham. The third, the Bonnie, is used as a settled that the duty on silver plate will be nor may seem fit, selection to be made from slightest reflection on his friend, Mr. Andrew, despatch bout, and is very profitable indeed. We are not attempting, and we don't intend to atdo ultimately is another question. Our intention. poses. There is a great demand for quick and hear that nine men of war have established a doinot propose to read over the clauses. I think Mr. Hooven said he thought the names of handy steam-launches, and there is a very protitable business indeed to be done in this branch. There is nothing more to say, I think, but the and I am much pleased with both of them and that you are satisfied that he will make a good directors wished to explain these things to you do not doubt but that matters will get on quite manager, and also that he, himself, is satisfied, that you might see what they have done up to satisfactorily to the Company and also to them, for the purpose of having our new launches and appear well satisfied with everything. Easter week and more or less of a holiday, I have fitted up so that they may be used as patrol or Please add to the advertisement in the China not seen Saunders yet to hear what Roberts's This was not a commercial society. In a society guard boats in the event of war, and we hope to Express "Mr. (". M. Roberts, formerly with ideas on the subject are, but I anticipate no dif-

I this sort if they gave unnecessary trouble to get a reasonable subsidy from the Government Mesars. Alexander Gordon & Co. of London, ficulty in getting what you require and shipping in respect of our making our boats available for Hotel Manager; Mrs. Roberts, Matron." be considerable. The Government have not for Rotisseries; the general terms would be 8-4 authority in engaging the girls without further of very considerable traffic for the Company's quired boats both as ferry boats and despatch hoats.

Hon. P. Ryrie—No; and I think none of my might add that he was not seeking re-election said—If no one has any question to ask, there is C. Yaunders referred to in the above letter is money would be taken if we had barmaids, but It would be advisable to have some of the officers no real business to transact. The meeting has The Colonial Secretary proposed that the of the new Regiment on the Committee, but simply been held in compliance with the Orscheme of interpretation, indicated by the Go as none of them had yet joined the Association dinance and there is nothing further to be done The meeting then dissolved:

> SUPREME COURT. 17th January.

IN OBIGINAL JURISDICTION. BEFORE HON. J. RUSSELL, C.M.G., CHIEF JUSTICE, AND A SPECIAL JUEY. HONGKONS HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED, v.

LOXLEY & Co.

The CHAIRMAN-There is nothing in the structed by Messrs. Ewens and Reece, for the The Jurove were !- Messrs. G. R. Lammert, F. W. Cross, H. W. Dick, H. L. Dalrymple The CHAIRMAN said the meeting was all- H. Wicking, E. A. Solomon, and F. T. P. Foster powerful. If it agreed that seven days'-notice The Attorney General read the petition and

I.—The plaintiffs are a Company duly incorporated and registered in Hongkong under carry on business in Hongkong as Hotel keepers. 2.—The defendants are Merchants and Comis sion Agents carrying on business in Hongkong and in London, under the style or firm of W

3.—By a letter dated the 25th day of May 1886, the plaintiff ('ompany appointed the defendants to be the agents in London of the plaintiff Company, for the purpose of erecuting such-orders as the plaintiff Company should terms mentioned in the said letter.

The plaintiff Company crave leave to refer to the said letter.

4.-On or about the 7th day of March last, tiff Company, wrote to the defendants and in- properly, with the full authority of the plaintiff formed them that it was the idea of the said Company, entired into the two agreements in their Hotel in Hongkong, but no instructions, plaintiff Company, and on the 23rd June, 1887, order, or authority were given to the said de- the defendant wrote the letter in the said parafendants to engage any barmaids; nor did the graph mentioned. plaintiffs' Company intend that the defendants should engage such barmaids.

5. On or about the 20th day of May last, the said David McCulloch received a letter from the the Police and Military had their own ranges he defendants in London, dated the 15th day of allegations in the 10th paragraph of the said was "No member of the Army or Navy shall be set about getting two ladies as barmaids, and sligible for election who holds lower rank than that there would be no difficulty in getting what Petition of the all intiff Company may that they, . 6.-Immediately on receipt of this letter, the Mr. Cross proposed that these resolution be said David McCulloch saw the defendant William of the said two barmands from London to Hong-printed and forwarded to members and another Richard Lorley, who was in Hongkong and in kong and \$275.15 by way of advance to each of printed and forwarded to members and another Richard Lorley, who was in Hongkong, and in-

formed him of the letter and stated to him that The CHAIRMAN thought the sense of the meet- | if the barmaids were engaged it would be withing should be taken, should they proceed with out the authority of the plaintiffs' Company, and on their behalf he repudiated all liability in the

defendants, wrongfully and without any author pay to the defendants the said monies or any rity from the plaintiffs' Company, entered into part thereof, and the defendants ask leave to two agreements, one with one Jessie Russel and counterclaim. Mr. Hoppen said that he, perhaps, should the other with one Frances Logan, engaging them as barmaids for the plaintiffs' Company's affect in any way those who were already Hotel in Hongkoug, and on the 23rd day of June, 1887, the said defendant Dalton Sayle wrote from London to the plaintiffs' Company informing them that he had done so, and that the two barmaids would leave London by the were engaged as agents in London for the steamer Belierophon about the 28th June, 1887. tiff Company received the last mentioned letter.

9.—On or about the 17th day of August, 1887, the said Jessie Russel and Frances Logan arrived in Hongkong, and the plain lifts' Company Mr. Francis said he was sure that those refused to employ them as barmaids or other resent would fully agree with him when he wise in their Hotel, whereupon the said Jessie suggested that a very hearty vote of thanks Hussel and Frances Logan respectively commenbe passed to their President, Mr. Jack- oed actions in this Honourable Court against the damages for breach of agreement, and the plaintiffs' Company have in addition to the said sum would have be ped them as he had done and who | incurred and paid law costs in the said actions

grams to London in the same matter. 10.-It was solely owing to the wrongful and unauthorized not of the defendants in engaging Russel and Frances Logan as aforesaid that the plaintiffs' Company were compelled to pay and did pay the said sams of \$3,96 . \$667.25 and \$36, which together make the sum of \$4,603.25. 11.—The defendants have refused and still

refuse to repay to the plaintiffs' Company the said sum of \$4.663.25. oursble Court will order the said defendants to pay the said sum of 34.663 25 to the paid the same until repayment, together

And that they may have such further and other relief as the nature of the case may require. HE ANSWER OF THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFEND. ANTS TO THE PETITION OF THE PLAIN-TITE COMPANY HEREIN.

contained in paragraphs I and 2 of the said pe- be sending you indent shortly " meaning the

2.-The defendants admit that they were appointed the agents in London of the plaintiff

3 .- In further reply to the 3rd paragraph of the said petition the defendants say that their business in London is carried on and manager and has always, since their appointment as suc agents as aforesaid, been carried on and managed by one of the defendants, the said Dalton Sayl that all the business of the said agency was transacted by the said Dalton Sayle exclusively in London, and that all orders and communications on the subject of the said agency were made and sent by the plaintiff Company to him direct, and were not sent through or in any way commu nicated by the said Company to the Firm in Hougkong or to the defendant W. R. Loxley. 4.-The letter referred to in the 4th pare graph of the said petition is as follows:-

"Per French Mail. Hongkong, 7th March, 1887, Mosers. W. R. Lozley & Co., 17, Fore Street London, E.C.

inst, and beg to own receipt of yours dated 7th "Both Mr. and Mrs. Roberts arrived safely,"

"Champagne, &c., will write you later on when written on the 15th April and received Lere Company, while the advantage to the Gov- home early in May and the present idea is to got wrote a letter from Hongkong to Sayle, pointlittle doubt that we will ultimately succeed in badded room in the Hotel, and conditions would Mr. McCulloch saw Loxley here and communithe prospect, so far as we can see, there is every or longer if required. Sundays free. Mr. Ro- engage these girls had been given to Sayle and reason to be satisfied. The receipts have been berts writes to Mr C. Saunders on the subject that the only fair construction of the letters increasing every month, and there is the prospect and will explain fully the nature of the girls re- from the Company was that he was only to be

" We shall probably be sending you an indent The CHAIRMAN said the next business was to The first call has been paid on all the shares and shortly. Enclosed is a copy of the local advertisement re Mr. Roberts. "I am, dear Sirs, yours faithfully,

(Sd.) D. McCullon, Chairman, Hongkong Hetel Co., Ltd."

The Mr. Roberts referred to in the above

letter and still is the Manager in Hongkong of bar goes as it has done I do not think they the Hotel of the Plaintiff company. The Mr. will be required. I do not think any more the Manager of the Restaurant and Refresh- perhaps more chits would be signed for which ment Rooms in the House of Commons in Lon- we probably should not get the money. .] don, and is a man of great and varied experience hope you will send out two casks of cheap said Mr. C. Saunders, as stated in the above tention to the first part of that letter. "The Mr. Saunders the nature of the girls required by not a positive order." That letter was written the Plaintiff Company for their Hotel in Hong- | here on the 19th May, but notwithstanding two kong, and the said Mr. C. Saunders did, at the barmaids were engaged and shipped on the 29th request of the said Mr. Roberts and of the plain- June, no attempt being made to stop them and tiff Company, communicate with the defendant | they landed here early in August. The Hotel Dalton Sayle in London, and did furnish him Company declined to acknowledge the engage. with all requisite particulars to enable him to ment, and the girls were advised to bring un select suitable barmaids for the plaintiff Com- setion for damages. Finally the matter was arpany, and did at the request aforesaid send to him | ranged as mentioned in the petition. The case of and recommend for employment as such bar- the Company was that they were placed in this maids in Hongkong one or more suitable persons. position and had to pay these damages entirely 5-At the date of the said letter of the 7th lowing to the action of their agents in engaging

Mr. Roberts to the said Mr. C. Saunders' the plaintiff Company did intend that the defendants should engage barmaids for the said Hotel and the above mentioned letter of the 7th March, 1887, supplemented by the communications sent through the said Mr. Roberts and Mr. C. Saunders as aforesaid, was full and ample instructions, order and authority for the engagement by the defendants on behalf of the plaintiff Company of the two barmaids who were subsequently

engaged and sent out by the defendants. 6-The defendants admit that they wrote and sent the letter referred to in paragraph 5 of the said petition and crave-leave to refer to it. 7—The defendants deny the truth of the state ments contained in the 6th paragraph of the said petition, and say that the said David McCalloch did not make any such statement as is therein alleged to the said Wm. Richard Loxley. The defendants further say in reply to the said paragraph that if the plaintiff Company had at or about the time of the alleged conversation with the said William Richard Loxley telegraphed as transmit to them from time to time upon the they eacht to have done to the said Dalton Sayle in London informing him that barmaids were not then required, the said barmaids would never have been ougaged or sent out.

8.—In reply to paragraph 8 of the said peti-David McCalloch, the Chairman of the plain- tion the defendants say that they rightfully and Company to get out two girls as barmaids for the said paragraph mentioned on behalf of the

9 — The defendants admit the statements contained in paragraphs 3, 9, and 11 of the said Potition to be true. 10 .- The defendants deay the truth of the

11.—The defendants in further reply to the the defendants, paid out of their own proper moules the sum of \$670 for the passage money the said bar maids and for other necessary expeoples, and that although the said monies. amounting in all to the sum of \$945.15, were rightfully and properly disbursed by them on account and by the authority and at the request of the plaintiff Company, nevertheless the plain-7.—On or about the 20th day of June last, the tiff Company has refused and still refuses to re-

Mr. Francis said it had been arranged by the parties that no counterclaim should be put in: The Attorney-General said the case on behalf of the Hotel Company was as follows :- In the month of May, 1846. Loxley and Co. who had a branch in London and a branch in Hongkong, Hongkong Hotel Company. As a matter of 8.-On the 28th June, 1897, before the plain. private arrangement Mr. W. R. Loxley carried on the business here and Mr. Dalton Sayle in the defendant William Richard Loxley informed London. The engagement was communicated on the said David McCulloch that the two barmaids | the 25th May, 1886, to Loxley and Co., in these had been engaged and were about to leave for terms: - Dear Sirs. I beg to inform you that the Hougkong, whereupon the said David McCalloch | directors of the Hougkong Hotel Company, wrote to the defendant William Richard Loxley Limited, having agreed to appoint agents in repudiating the said engagements, and on the London, have selected your firm there and bog 30th June, 1887, the said David McCulloch wrote | to propose the following terms :- You will execute all orders on the best and cheapest terms cong again repudiating all liability in the allowing us the usual trade discount. The cammission you will charge will be 5 per cent, on all invoices noder \$1.000 and 2; per cent on those over that sam. . . You will endeavour to forward the interests of the Company on all ocessions and advise them from time to time on matters which may interest them. We will wire you through your frm in Hongkong, the word 'Hotel", will mean the Company, and you can wire in the same way. Some months ago wa sout to Henry S. King & Co. giving some bills to collect, but they said that this was not in their line of business. Will you see to this matter and find someone who will do it? Please advertise in the usual way that you are our agents. I should be glad if Mr. D. Sayle would give his best attention to our business." In this way the firm was appointed agents. In the month of Jannary, 1857, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts were engaged as manager and matron of the Hotel. Some little time after their arrival, the directors considered the advisability of engaring barmaids, and on the 7th March, 1887, it was mentioned amongst other things, "Miss Kirby leaves now and our present idea is to get out two good serviceable

girls." Then after going on to give particulars The plaintiffs therefore pray that this Hon- as to the terms of their engagement it was stated "Mr. Roberts writes to Mr. Saunders on the subject and will explain fully the nature of the girls plaintiffs together with interest thereon at required." Apart from the details he (Attorthe rate of 8 per contum per annum from [ney-General] would point out the phrases "Our the respective times at which the plaintiffs present idea is to get out two bernaids" and

Mr. Roberts writes to Mr. Saunders on the subject and will explain the nature of girls required. We shall probably be sending indent shortly." "Indent" he apprehended was a term perfectly well understood among business men. If they were going to make a contract they might write before hand "Our present idealis to do soand-so and further instructions will be commu-1.—The defendants admit that the statements nicated to you" So here "We shall probably

greement or contract.

His Lordship-Do you mean that they were going to indent for the girls? The Attorney General-Yes, my lord, I take t so. (Langueter). My friend laughs, but an ndent is a contract or agreement. I put it that the intention of the Company was that when the untter was decided the agreement or con-

truct would be sent. His Lordship-You mean that this was not really an order, but that particulars would be sent afterwords?

The Attorney-General said that was the whole point. That letter was followed by two letters which Mr. Roberts sent to Saunders. They had not those letters; but he should be able to prove by Mr. 1. oberts what the substance of those letters was. Mr Roberts's account was that he wrote to Saunders some time in March mentioning the fact that they thought of getting two barmaids and describing the class of girl required and what they would have to do, and asking Saunders to keep a look out. He was certain that be did not lead Saunders in any way to believe that they wanted the girls immediately. He also expressed a wish that they would do without girls as they were more nuisance than assistance is the management of an hotel. That letter would be received in London about the lath April, and almost immediately Sayla wrote a letter, which had "Dear Sirs,—We had this pleasure on the 7th been referred to in the pleadings, dated 16th April. 1887, which was as follows:—" The Chairmen Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited, -Dear Sir,

I am glad that Roberts has arrived safely and which is half the battle. I note your request set about retting them. Owing to this being I them by the end of this month." That letter was prepared and await further orders. On the 19th May a letter was written by Mr. Roberts after consultation with Mr. McCulloch as follows:-

Doar Sir, your letter respecting the barmaids received. The letter you received from Mr. Mo-Culloch was not a positive order but simply for you to make enquiries in case barmaids were required. Nothing is settled yet regarding them. in the management of Hotels, Restaurants and claret as a on as possible, &c." He (the At-Bars. The said Mr. Roberts did write to the torney-General) wished particularly to draw atwritten letter, and did communicate to the said letter you received from Mr. McCulloch was

Only fair construction of their letter was that case they decided to carry out their idea-it was nothing more than an idea at the timetheir agents were to be on the look out and prepared when the final directions of the Company were sent them. What reason Sayle had for acting with such great rapidity in ongaging these girls and sending them out they did not May, the first thing he did was to write at thereby causing obstruction. once pointing out that the Company had given Defendants' plea was that they had lights, but no positive orders and would not be bound by they blow them out. what Sayle had done. He then took the precaution of going to the firm here and informing hard labour. them that a mistake had been made by their firm in London, and putting thom on their guard. It were about to be engaged and that as a business have been stolen. man hereally meant that as definite information, | William Lorne stated-I am an engineer un again Mr. McCulloch said that if he had house to go to the Land We Live In taveru. gaged the girls. The sole question was what but he is very like the man. was a fair business-like construction of the Eneas Mann, P.S. 89, said that on the 16th in-

David McCulloch, Chairman of the Hongkong that instruction Mr. Roberts was engaged. arrived here in February, 1887. In March I wrote the letter already read with reference to the barmaids and other subjects. The first com munication I received in reply to that was the let ter rensired on the 19th May. Af er reading i I asked Mr. Roberts what he had written to Mr. Saunders I then remarked to Mr. Roborts that if Mr. Sayle was going to send out these girls at the end of the month it was a piece of insanity as they had neer been or dered. I also said that if Sayle had carried out what he stated the girls would be here by the A day or two afterwards I met Mr Loxley in the street. I said "We have received a letter from Sayle saying that heis woing to send out two barmaids at the end of April, but as no order has been sant you will have to take charge of them if they come out. The Hotel Company will have nothing to do with them." That was all that was said, so far as I remember. The next communication I had on the subject was memo, which I received on the 29th June from Lon ley, signed by Sayle, saying that the barmaids were coming out. On receiving that communication I wrote to Mr. Loxley telling him that Mr Sayle hadno authority to engage the barmaids aud declining to sunction the agreement. (Letterread) I next received, through Mr. Loxley, a telegram from Sayle informing me that the barmaids were leaving for Hongkong. I communicated with Mr. Loxley and certain telegrams were sent from Hongkong to London stating that we did not confirm the agreement made with these barmaids, That was dated 29th June. About the same time I wrote to London stating that I had received memo. from Mr. Loxley stating that they had engaged Miss Russel, and that, as I had written to Mr. Lorley, we repudiated the transaction, and that should they arrive in Hongkong the Company would not receive them or be answerable for them in any way. Should they arrive it was hoped that Sayle would give orders as to what was to be done with the barmaids. (Letter read) In August the barmaids errived, and the coupany refused to have anything to do with the matter. They then brought an action against the Company which was referred to the Registrar of the Court and damages were paid to the barmaids.

Cross-examined by Mr. Francis-Mr. Kerfoot Hughes was at one time Chairman of the Hotel Company. I was Chairman at the time Lorley & Co. were formally engaged as agents. I have only read since this suiton means defined the letter to Sayle fraudulent means bringing a girl named Chan entrenchments, their flight being quickened by of June, 1886, written by Mr. Kerfoot Hughes. Tai Ngan, aged 13, into the colony on the 10th the flory rush of the fear-inspiring rocket. I had no knowledge of such a letter written by instant, was sentenced to six months' hard labour. Whatever has to be done should however be done The letter was as follows :- Donr Sayle.-The

to articles required. When I received Mr. on the 28th June when I received intelligence that the barmaids had sailed because I knew then that Sayle had actually engaged the girls. When the first letter arrived I did not think he would carry out what he said, because he wrote that he was going to see Mr. Saunders, and I felt certain that where he saw him he would see he was in error. As soon as I got this letter of Sayle's I asked Mr. Roberts what he had written to Saunders. I do not remember exactly what he said, but my impression is that it was to the effect! that he had written nothing to a unders that could affect Sayle with regard to engaging barmaids. When I wrote the letter of the 7th March no resolution had been come to with regard to the graphy translated into Chinese, as the informaengaging of barmaids. The matter was discussed afterwards by the Board. I do not think there is any minute recorded of a resolution on the matter either one way or the other. My letter was discussed by the Board, but no playing with regard to the question of emigrawere to be engaged or not. There is no referende to barmaids in the minutes of the 23rd May. I did not think the letter of the 19th May sufficiently important to lay it before the Board at their next meeting. I did not write to Messrs. Loxley & Co. here after receiving that letter. I met Mr. Loxley accidentally in the street, just after I had received it. The telegrams sent by me were from the Hotel Company to Sayle sent through Loxley & Co. as a plimentary terms for his great teal in having Fourneresu has no hesitation in mying that if the matter of convenience. I cannot say that I ever wrote to Mr. Loxley asking him to do so and so. I slways wrote to Sayle. I cannot say positively

about the barmaids he engaged for Dorabjee that he would not care to have snything to do in the matter. When I said to Mr. Loxley "If the barmaids come we will have nothing to do with them," I thought it possible they might A man was carried away by a band of robbers to Angkor. Thom, the palace of the ancient Loxley saying "Why don't you telegraph and no money he was liberated."

Khmer kings. The passages of the palace were lined by gigantic statues supporting dragons of Loxley saying "Why don't you telegraph and stop them" and my replying "It is too late now." I did not telegraph because I did not think that he really would ship them, and that if he had such an idea when two innocent persons. he saw Saunders he would re-read my letter and see what my intention was. There is no copy of Mr. Roberts's letter to Mr. Saunders, as it was not an official letter. When Mr. Roberto's letter was written no determination had been come to about engaging barmaids. I did not put anything about not proceeding without further instructions from me because I thought he would so understand my letter as not to do anything the other day from Singapore by the steamer to return to France. until be received positive instructions. I did Rance the troubles on the Padas will be speedily The mission has succeeded in accomplishing not consider it necessary or reasonable to send a brought to a satisfactory ending. These men the following results:telegram on receiving a letter informing me that | were got together from the various settlements | A thorough architectural survey of Angkor the barmaids were engaged.

that when I required anything from London

ever wrote to Loxley here and asked him to com-

municate with the firm in London. I have a re-

coll stion of meeting Mr. Loxley in the Queen's

I was under the impression that Loxley

Re-examined-I cannot explain why Loxley did not telegraph to his partner. I could not believe when I received Mr. Sayle's letter on the 19th May that he really intended sending these girls, that was my reason for not sending any telepram. On receiving the telegram on be despatched immediately. Thus strength. Five hundred and twenty architectural models, ing them, and I then telegraphed hoping to stop them on the way. I am quite certain that up to the 19th May no decision had been arrived at as to the engagement of barmaids.

o'clock this morning.

POLICE COURT

BEFORE HON. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

BREACH OF HARBOUR REGULATIONS. Ching Shing and Chan I, boatmen, were know, and as far as they were concerned it did charged by Alex. Watson, P.C. 18, with nonot matter. Mr. McCulloch would tell them glecting to exhibit lights on their basts on the that when he received this letter written on the night of the 16th instant, and with anchoring 15th April and which arrived here on the 19th their boats in the fairway to Yaumati wharf

Fined \$10 each, or, in default, fourteen days

ROBBIRY FROM THE PERSON. Loung Ku. described as a lottery ticket colmight be suggested that the Company should have lector; and Lonng Pun, barber, were, brought telegraphed to Sayle. Now, with regard to that up, the first charged with stealing from the the explanation was, and he thought it was a reasperson of William Lorne, engineer, a gold watch, sought one, that when they received the letter valued at £15, on the 15th inst., and the second from Sayle on the 19th May stating that the girls with receiving the watch well knowing it to

expected that Sayl, had really intended to was alone, walking down to Queen's Road immediately that he would have received a letter came up from behind and spoke to me. H on what he said and engage them When I came towards Tank Lane a Chinamar by the following mail saying that I had done suddenly grabbed at my watch and snatched so and confirming his previous letter. No such it away from my waistocat pocket and ran up letter was received, and Mr. Me ulloch was left Tank Lane. I lost sight of him, and made in the dark, the only conclusion he could come a report at the Station. The watch in Court is to being that Sayle had re-read the letter, and my property, and is worth £15. I cannot swear having taken the correct view of it had not en- to the first prisoner being the man who stele it,

letter of the 7th March? Was it an authority for stant, in consequence of information received he Style to immediately proceed and engage two went to No. 109, Second-street, where he met barmaids or was it, as he had stated, a letter to with the first prisoner, who had been previously has not been idle in getting together some suparrested. He gave orders to P.C. 281, who was plementary force, but as can be easily underwith him, to allow no one to go out of the house. stood, there are difficulties in the way of finding going into the cookhouse, and called out "The Inspector is coming." Witness heard a rustle has been able to muster and despatch a reinsounds of a box being meddled with. He saw the second prisoner turning away from the box in the middle of the room and walk towards the door. Prisoner saw him, and witness saw prisoner go back to the box and deposit the watch

> himself, sold him the watch in question on the 16th instant, at 3 p.m. He then took to his house, to which the last witness came and found it. He bought the watch for St which he obtained from the second prisoner, who was his father and had nothing what-

Wm. Lorne, re-called, stated that the watch was broken off the chain and the lutter was left with him. He again said that he could not swear to the first prisoner being the man who anatched it from him. He picked him out in the morning because he bore great, resemblance to the thief such as height and general appearance and clothes. The man apoke to him in English.

Lenng Tsing, coolie, was brought up on a charge of stealing a tarpaulin, value about \$7, Ome Cheong, A.S. 398, said that on the 16th instant, at noon, he saw prisoner carrying the canvas on the Canton Wharf. In answer to him prisoner said somebody on board a steamer Captain Thompson, of the Glaucus, stated that he did not give the tarpaulin to the prisoner. belor ged to the main hatch of his steamer. had never seen prisoner before to his knowledge.

call. The Captain gave it to him and he was taking it to the Tai Li shop the same afternoon. He did not know why the Captain gave it him. Remanded till Saturday. Bail allowed in one surety in \$15.

romand, on a charge of unlawfully and by of seeing his antagonists hurriedly forsake their

bonourable Greely has been kicked out on the burglury at No. 31, t ironlar Pathway, on the with the extinction of Shabander's resistance. first of the month and so we are in want of a ovening of the 16th instant. From the evidence The rainy season has set in and the difficulty of Douglas Steamship Company, Limited-\$66 per manager. See if you can secure an able, exper- it appeared that the two prisoners and another conducting active operations in the field during ienced man. As we shall have to aid a wing it man, all armed, went to the house in question, monsoon weather is obvious. That part of the Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$130 per would be well if you could find a man who has which is occupied by a wealthy Chinaman and country is swampy and unbealthy and it is not afraid this will be a difficult task. . . We its being opened by an amah, handed her a let. tion, the European officers with the expedition one's engagement will be up in March. I hope her master the men forced the door open and to the anxiety of the past few weeks as to the you will make a better selection than the last rushed in. One of them threatened the master malarious character of the district in which they ones you sent Dorabjee, but as you had your with a sword, another did the same with a con- have been encamped. In addition therefore to onbine, while the third mounted guard at the the difficulties connected with the elecumstances The words in the letter of 7th March "We stairs. One of the emahs got on the roof and of the position, the nature of the work, and shall probably be sending you an indent shortly" gave the alarm, which brought the police, a scantiness of supplies, the expedition, though party under Inspector Quincey and Sergeant some of these difficulties have been by this time Macdonald being near at hand, having obtained modified, has yet to encounter the discomforts Sayle's letter telling me that he should possibly information that it was probable an attack inseparable from the waging of hostilities in

> SUMMARY OF THE "KWANG-PAO."

The Kwang-pao of to-day gives, in a leading prticle, a geographical description of the islands in the southern hemisphere, explaining the extent, situation, climate, and population of each. The description must be an extract from a geotion it contains is far too accurate and unprejudiced to originate from a Chinese text book. In view of the important part Australia is now

It is reported that an extraordinary examinaly in the Chinese year, as a special favour shown by H. M. the Emperor to the literary classes in

The Prefect of Huichew is spoken of in comkone out of doors for the transaction of public business on a rainy day.

bouse every night to gamble, and as long as they

and edifices which abound at Angicor. Weeks told me that Sayle had had so much trouble continued his daily meetings. passed away in making antveys and plans of Potatoes, which the writer goes on to explain the roins, photographing the objects of interest, modelling and sketching remarkable intiquities, were introduced into hims by Chinese merand furthering the ends of the mission. chants from Spain, are very cheap this year.

Two policemen in Lienchow punished for

bringing a false charge of kidnapping against elaphants lined the terraces. An immense temple with 50 towers, grouped pyramid fushion, added to the fantastic charm of the scene. The ruins Two fires in Fatshan; no serious damage ensued

We trust to hear that with the arrival in disturbed condition of the country and by North Borneo of the Sikh contingent despatched | illness, which compelled the chief of the mission

well supported in their temporary difficulties ten centuries ago.

17th January.

it would have been useless to telegraph as the employed. I live at the German Tavern. Or girls would already be on their way. Then the 15th instant, at 8 p.m., I left Petersen

Lenng Bhan, a Chinchew man who was very like from Singapore, will provide the somewhat disover to do with it. Prisoner knew a little Eng-

At this stage the case was remanded till Sa turday, the 19th instant

from the steamer Glaucus, on the 16th instant. had given it him. He pointed out the steamer, which was lying in the middle of the harbour.

le did not give it to anybody. risoner said he had no other witnesses

Two men were charged with committing a may not be at once restored to peace and quiet China and Manile Steamship Company, Limited

16th January.

ANTIQUARIAN RESEARCH IN CAMBODIA. The Journal Official of French Indo Chine contains an interesting report on an archmological mission to Siam and Cambodia conducted b M. Fournersau neder instructions from the French Government, The object was to carry on researches into the antiquities of the Khmers. a highly civilised race, who once held sway over a vast empire in that part of the world, and left monuments of culture and refinement in magnificent rained cities. M. Fournereau reached resolution was arrived at as to whether harmaids tion, most of the article is devoted to that country. Angkor, on the 26th December, 1837, and, at first sight, the splendour and fairy-like charm of the temples and palaces that met his gaze made a deep impression on him which further tion will take place in the various provinces ear- research tended to intensify. Work was at once begun to clear away the jungle around, remove vegetation from the sculptures, and prepare for

taking models, sketches, surveys, and photographs. Collections were made of specimens to meet deficiencies in the Khmer museum at Paris. M Khmer ruins had been as accessible as the ancient remains at Carnac and Basibek, which they sur-

pass in extent and rival in architectural beauty Colonel Teng, stationed at Ch'ao-chow, died on the day before yesterday. the ancient Cambodians would long ago have A man invited his friends to come round to his stood high. M. Fournereau collected no less

Road and telling him that I was about to write to Sayle about two barmaids.

I was under the impression that Loyley atton. When his turn of had back came he direct the speaks in terms of Helphong wonder and delight of the soulptures, statues, Head wonder and delight of the soulptures and statues, Head wonder and delight of the soulptures are soulptures. ation. When his turn of bad luck came he

enormous size. Stone elophants stood by its massive gates. Images of lions, priffing, and

FIGHTING IN NORTH BORNEO.

of the Colony at very brief notice, and were, we Wat, and partial curveys of the royal palace and Humidity understand, almost entirely men awaiting Police the appertaining buildings. or similar employment. It is also known that Four hundred photographs of soulptures and a certain supply of the much needed ammunition ornaments. has gone by the same opportunity, and we hear | Collections comprising about 40 acts of specithat a small supply of war-rockets and a couple mens of soulptures, carvings, and manufactured ened and supplied, we may confidently look which will admit of the reconstruction of 4 large to Mr. Daly, the West Coast Resident, who monumental buildings and 14 smaller ones. M is in charge of the Padas expedition, squaring Fournersu says that there is still a vast field up matters in a complete and summary way for antiquarian research not only in Cambodia. with his stubborn antagonist, Shabander. The but also in Siam, and in the valley of the Meinam, At this point the Court adjourned till ten North Borneo authorities have been, we think, where ruins abound some of them dating from

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Hongkong Hongkong Donglas Lapraik & Co.... the energy and intelligent resource of COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. their representatives at Singapore, upon whom has fallen the brunt of scraping together TRUESDAY, 17th January. from all available quarters the men and material for want of which notive operations had been so Quotations are :--Benares (New) 555 of the year, we hear that Governor Creegh in the room, on his way to the cookhouse, and forcing party for the Padas numbering in all On London.-ISTCHANGE. seventy men, presumably chiefly the East Coast Telegraphic Transfer Dyaks, which it was known that he meant to Bank Bills, on domand recruit for the North Borneo force on his return Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 3,04 from his recent visit of inspection to the camp Bank Bills, at a months' sight 3/1 at: Undamudi. In this business Governor produced into it. Witness arrested the second Greagh has evidently lost no time, and the Documentary Bills, at 4 months' arrival of his Dyak contingent, followed a week The first prisoner said that a man named later by the hundred and odd Sikhs sent over ON PARIS. heartened little band behind the stockades at Undamadi with renewed courage and the cheery On New YORK .stimulus that will be derived from the reinforce-ment of their ranks and the replenishment of Credits, 60 days' night752 their scantly stores. 'A further account to hand OH BOMBAY .gives some details of the last attempt of the North Borneo men to storm Galela Fort, the main work in which Shabander's followers are now ON CALCUTTA, snugly ensconced. The North Borneaus had got to within twenty yards of the fort with a three pounder, and on the other side had two ON SHANGHAL .twelve-pounders stationed within seventy or Bank, at sight eighty yards of the fort. The serving of the guns must have been wild, no doubt owing to Sovenerens the firing at close quarters, as most of the shots went high although some breached part of the fort stockades. The difficult nature of the Quotations are :ground, and the way in which the enemy had honey-combed it with suda holes and manper cent. premium, sellers. traps of canning design made the labour of moving and working the guns extremely ex-\$90 per chare. hausting. The North Borneo camp is just now less than four hundred yards from Galela Fort. \$76 per share, sales. which is closely watched by pickets. The former camp (Undamudi No. 1.) was left on the 20th December for the spot now selected (Galela camp or Undamudi No. 2.) The 22nd was the Chinese Insurance Company, Limited-\$165 per day on which the hottest fighting occurred. The tactics of the enemy seem to be chiefly of a defensive character. Earthwork are thrown up per share. He behind which holes are dag, and equatted in these, the enemy knooncernedly await the fire of the expedition, putting much confidence in the sudar strewn thickly all round, whose \$350 per share, sellers poisoned bemboo pricks so easily disable the unfortunate one who unwarily treads thereon. To per share, sellers, dislodge the enemy from their rat-hole-like covert, Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limitedrockets have been felt to be the one thing needful, \$25 nom. and as these form a part of the equipment of the Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-Sikh company just despached, it ought not to be U Atak, hawker, who was brought up, on long before Mr. Daly experiences the satisfaction

some knowledge of such work, though I am his family. They knocked at the door, and on surprising to learn that, with scarcely an excep- Hongkong Hetel Company's Shares-\$170 per may also want some barmaids as our present ter. As she turned away to take the letter to are suffering in health, this as much due perhaps China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$196

ship the two barmaids by the end of the month, I would take place in the neighbourhood about tropical jungle during the rainy season. We did not telegraph at once because I did not untime. Two of the men were arrested; and wish Governor Creagh and Mr. Daly a speedy and successful issue out of this trouble some affair, Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li-and trust that next advices may inform us that mited-190 per share. Galela Fort and the other four strongholds of the enemy are already in the hands of the British North Borneo Company's forces - Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Singapore Free Press.

in quite a different style, the artistic fame of

At the end of six weeks, the mission moved off

were found overgrown by jungle and frequented

by wild beasts. M. Fournereau visited other

rained cities in the neighbourhood, and made

extensive collections during a stay of four months.

Further explorations were prevented by the

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-\$110, per cent. prem. Hongkong High Level Tramways Company, Limited-245 per cent. prem., nom. per share, nom. ruickshank & Co., Limited-\$45 per share. Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$121 per

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METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

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THE Steamship "ALBANY." E. Porter, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 18th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 17th January, 1889. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

FOR SHANGHAL KOBE, AND YOKOHAMA TIME Company's Steamer Captain Bonnefoy, will be desputched for the

above Ports on or about FRIDAY, the 18th G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 14th January, 1889.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND POOCHOW

HIE Company's Steamship. "HAILOONG." Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 20th instant, of DAYLIGHT.

For Frei, hit or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 17th January, 1889. FOR BANGKOK DIRECT. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM.

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Company's Steamer "PHEA CHULA CHOM KLAO," above Port on SUNDAY, the 20th inst., at

To Liverpool For Freight or Passage, apply to To London YUEN FAT HONG. Hongkong, 15th January, 1889.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL, and BREMEN. THE Steamship

"POLYHYMNIA." Captain W. Schaefer will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 21st instant, at TER A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co., Hougkong, 11th January, 1889. FOR SINGAPORE. PENANG. AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship.

"ARRATOON APCAR." Captain J. G. Olifent, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, 17th January, 1889. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

Captain Milligan, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd instant. Passengers for Europe desiring to proceed Overland can, on application to the undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to Marseilles (by Transatlantic Company's express Boats) and thence to Puris or London. Algiera is 28 hours stram from Marsailles and hence to London occupies about the same time. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 15th January, 1889. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ningpo, Cheroo, Newchwand, Tientsin, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZE.) THE Company's Steamship "DEUCALION,"

Coptain Asquith, will be desputched as above THURSDAY, the 24th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Honglong, 16th January, 1889. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "KASHGAR."

the 25th inst., at NOON. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. Hongkong, 14th January, 1889. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL day previous to sailing. STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship

Hongkong, 15th January, 1889.

will leave for the above places on FRIDAY.

" CHING WO. R. H. Machugh, Commander, will be dea patched as above on or about the 30th instant. For Freight &c., apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 16th January, 1889. FOR NEW YORK.

"DUKE OF WESTMINSTER! Captain Reynolds, will be despatched for the above Porton or about the 31st inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

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PORTS. On 6th Feb., at 1 P.M. THE COMPANY'S STEAM IRS, WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. .B .- CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THEOUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL

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PLACES IN RUSSIA. N. SUNDAY, the 20th day of January, 1889, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship BAYERN," Captain Mergell, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO will leave this Port as above, CALLING

AT GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 1 P.M., on the 19th Jan., 1889. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For Farther Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 24th December, 1888. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO LOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ. PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA

LONDON, HAVRE BORDEAUX, DUNKIRK, AND ANTWERP.

N WEDNESDAY, the 23rd January, 1889, at Noon, the Company's Steamship " NATAL," Commandant Such, with MAILS PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO. will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in

transit through Murseilles for the principal instant places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on beard until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 22nd Jan., 1889. (Parcels are not to be sen on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 11th January, 1889. OCCIDENTAL AND ORLENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

For further particulars, apply at the Com-

rany's Office.

FAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA. AND EUROPE: VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

IIE Steamship "GAELIC" will despatched for San Francisco, gid Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 26th January, at ONE P.M. Councertion being made Yokohana with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PECKAGES should be marked to-

address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day pre- them. vious to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows:-To San Francisco\$200.00 To San Francisco and return,? available for 6 months

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Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to peints beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's 122 Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs. San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Aveney of the Com-

pany. No. 50A, Queen's Road Contral. C. D. HARMAN. Agent. Hongkong, 9th January, 1889. CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

PARING CARGO AND PASSENGERS JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE, THE CANADIAN PACIFIC BAILWAY

AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS. THE British Steamship "BATAVIA;" 2.558 Tong Register. Auld: Commande will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C. VIA KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, on THURS. DAY, the 7th February, at THREE P.M. To be followed by the Steamships "PAR THIA," on the 7th March, & "ABYSSINIA,

on 4th April. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. and at Vancouver with San Francisco and Pacific Coast Points by the regular Steamers of the PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY and other Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng

land, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :--: To Vancouver & Victoria ... (Mex.) \$160.00 To Ban Francisco..... To all Common Points in Canada) and the United States To Liverpool 300.00. To London 305.00.
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of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial-Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Van. couver, B.C. Freight will be received ou Board until 4 P.M

All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until 5 P.m. the For information as to Passage or Freight,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 11th January, 1889. FOR NEW YORK. TIRE 3/3 LI I American Bark

on the 6th February.

"SARAH S. RIDGWAY," Call, Master, will load here for the above port and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, let December, 1888. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

THE A. I. British Bark "JOHN NICHOLSON," W. Quine, Master, will load here for the above 11.00 A.M .- Mail closes. Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to .

PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 24th December, 1888.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. FOR BAN FRANCISCO

THE AB I British Back Laird, Master, will lead here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 15th January, 1889.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 A. I. I. American Ship

" PACTOLUS." Burnham. Master, shortly expected, will load here for the above Port, and will have a quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 20th December, 1888 FOR NEW YORK.

'I'HE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship STATE OF MAINE." G. Small. Master, shortly expected, will load

here for the above Port, and will have a quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, 20th December, 1888.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE FRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Ava, with the French mail of the 14th December, left Saigen at 1 a.m. on the 15th, and may be expected here on or about

Friday, the 18th instant. THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL The E. & A. S. Co.'s steamer Catterihurn-left. Pert Darwin on the 11th, and is due here on the 20th instant.

THE ENGLISH MAIL: The P. & O. steamer Peninsular, with the Euklish mail, left Singapore on the 15th, and may be expected here on or about the 20th inst. THE AMERICAN MAIL

Francisco on the 29th December, and is due here on or about the 28th instant. THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. steamer Batavia, with the Canadian

The P. M. steamer City of New York, left San

mail. leaves Yokohama on the 16th instant for Hongkong via Kobe. STEAMERS EXPECTED The Glen Line steamer Glenroy left Singa.

pore on the 13th, and is due here on the 20th

The China Shippers' Mutaal S. N. Co.'s steamer Moyune left Singapore on the 14th, and is due here on the 20th instant. The P. & O. steamer Gualior left Bombay on the 13th, and is due here on the 28th instant. The Ben Line steamer Benlarig left Singapore on the 14th, and is due here on the 21st instant.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Descation left

Singapore on the 15th, and is due here on the

22nd instant.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES. For the convenience of the public a Peak deivery has been established. Letter boxes have been placed in the tram cars and correspondence will be delivered by the twelve and four o'clock cars only. Local rates will be charged. Correspondence addressed to the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the cars till time of departure. Correspondence from the Peak may be posted in the Letter Boxes up to twelve and four o'clock. Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only up to 11.30. a.m. and 3.30 p.m. There will be no Sunday delivery. Covers containing bank notes, jewellery, &c., should not be posted. To avoid robbery senders of letters are requested to cancel their

stamps by writing the word 'stamped' across When Correspondence has been mis-sent or delayed (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to note on the cover, Sont to ---- or Received at 7 n.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever, to the To other European points at proportionate Postmaster-General. This should be acted on rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers | the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a

nore trouble in the end.

nst., at 11.30 A.M.

The Postal Guide for 1888, revisal to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory, p. 389 large edition, p. 733 small edition. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in

connection with this paper, is the one published

twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Shanghai.-Por Amoy, to-day, the 18th inst., at 7.30 A.M. For Yekohama.-Per Albany, to-day, the 18th

For Shanghai,-Per Patroclus, to-day, the

Sth inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Straits Settlements.—Per Independent. to-day, the 18th inst., at 4.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Koba, and Yokohama.-Par Ancona, to-morrow, the 19th inst., at 11:30 A.M. For Yokobama and Kobe.-Per Aglaia, tomorrow, the 19th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.-Por Hailong, to-morrow, the 19th inst., at 5.00 P.M.

For Bangkok. Por P. C. C. Klao, to-morrow, the 19th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Singapore.—Per Polyhymmia, on Monday, the 21st inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Straits and Batavia, Per Devonhurst. on Monday, the 21st inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai.-Per Ningpo, on Monday, the 21st inst. at 3.30 P.M.

For Straits and Calcutta.-Per A. Apcar,

on Wednesday, the 23rd inst., at 10 30 A.M.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per. Kashgar, on Friday, the 25th inst., at 11.30 A.M. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Bayern will be espatched on SATURDAY, the 19th instant. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India. Aden, Egypt, Malta, &co., &co.

Registry ceases at 4 P.M.

The mail closes at 5 P.M.

Unregistered Covers containing Bank Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such covers. Supplementary Mail: on Sunday, the 20th instant, at 9 A.M. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Natal will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd inst.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for

with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe. and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras. Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and. Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters. HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

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Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes.

When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the mails for Europe, &c. by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 P.M. tho day before. 8.00 A.M .- Posting of Prices Current and Cir

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way.)
10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 a.m. -- Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns coases.

LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M. after which hour they may be sent on board

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"AGLAIA," Capt. Christiansen, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested	Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any	let Fobruary. Apply to				TON FORA				N	AGASARI	
to send in their Bills of Lading for countersig- nature by the Undersigned and to take immediate	PIRST-CLASS RISK	DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 13th July, 1888. [31				HONG KONG.					18T JANUALY, 1889.	
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have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd inst., will be subject to rent.	FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co.	A SMALL EUROPEAN HOUSE at Wan-	China	Jan. 14 12 Ca Jan. 15 P. Ha	ye Ger. str 1	73 Morris & Ray	V		Dec. 25 Courdon	Brit, str 1153	Nippon Yusen Kaisbia Takasima Colliery	
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SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 16th January, 1889. [149]	THE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above	TO BE LET, FURNISHED.	Hailoch : -	Jan. 16 Lorol	Brit. str Brit. str 2	183 Ponelas Lapraik & Co 25 Jutterfield & Swire	Caston					
Hongkong, 16th January, 1889. [149] NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	L. Company, are prepared to GRANT IN- BURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first- class risks at current rates.	EBTBOURNE VILLAS, SOUTH,	I chang I chang Independent	Nov. 2b Sb	aw Brit. str 1	144 li.C.& M. Steamboat Ca 150 lintterfield & Swire 1371 Mieler & Co	Canton				KOBE. SED JANUARY, 1889.	
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